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Weather:



POLITICAL HISTORY: Mrs. Anne Armstrong tries out

the microphones in Miami Beach's Convention Hall Sunday as she prepares for her history-making role in the Republican National Convention. Mrs. Armstrong, the first woman to be the Republican party's cochairman, will be the first woman to make a keynote speech at a GOP convention when she speaks tonight. (AP Wirephote)

Busing Stand Leaves State Democrats Cool McGovern Labeled 'Loser'

DETROIT (AP) - Democratic presidential hopeful . Sen. George McGovern is a loser, say many Michigan Democratic congressional candidates who don't want anything to do with him or his campaign, according to a survey conducted by the Detroit Free Press.

Some candidates, including a few incumbents, are even hedging about whether they will appear with the South Dakota senator if he visits their districts during the "I would have to look at my schedule and see whether I

could be there or not," said Congressman John Dingell of

William D. Ford of Taylor said he wants to see "what he comes up with as a campaign platform."

Historically in Michigan, Democrats have fared well in Presidential campaigns. President Eisenhower, in 1956, was the last Republican to carry the state in a Presidential race.

But this year school busing to achieve racial balance is a major state issue and McGovern is identified as probusing. President Nixon and other Republicans are on record opposing it.

McGovern hedged on the issue when he came to-Michigan. He said he disapproves of busing children from superior schools to inferior ones. Busing, he said, is a necessary tool to achieve equal education.

Because of the busing issue, McGovern's chances "are

probably remote," said Martha Griffiths of Detroit, a Democratic Congresswoman.

"I wouldn't hesitate to appear with him McGovern," said a Detroit Congressman, Lucien Nedzi, who indicated party loyalty should be stronger than disagreements over specific issues

"At this time McGovern certainly would not be an asset," he added.

Congressman James G. O'Hara of Utica expressed what seems to be the prevailing attitude toward McGovern by Democrats torn between party loyalty and a desire for political survival:

"I'm not going out of my way to either avoid him or find him," O'Hara said.



Unity Marks Convention

Possible GOP Floor Fight May Spice Things Up

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) -Republicans launch their pre- shape of the 1976 convention. open the 1972 affair, followed cisely scheduled convention today to renominate President coming speeches and a filmed three keynote speeches to hail

to head off a floor fight over the Dwight D. Eisenhower was to administration. An afternoon meeting of wel- by a night session featuring Nixon while party leaders seek tribute to the late President accomplishments of the Nixon

hoods of cars as they retreated.

Then, proclaiming victory,

Police reported no arrests

splattered dinner jackets,

This was the first time at ei-

(See back page, sec. 1, col. 1)

Lake Temperature

The temperature of Lake

Michigan at the shoreline today

is 70 degrees.

Park.

With everything programmed, down to Nixon's renomination Tuesday night, Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's selection Wednesday floor fights that marked last

how delegates will be allotted by states for the party's next

The convention's Rules Committee considers the question

Unless a compromise can be reached, the issue will be fought out on the convention floor and before the nation's television viewers Tuesday afternoon in the only crack of

Threat of another floor fight, over the women's rights portion of the party platform, all but vanished over the weekend. Rep. Margaret Heckler of Massachusetts said no woman on the platform tried to bring up a

And when it comes time for nomination, Nixon's will be the only name presented for president, Agnew's probably the

With no Republican opposition to Nixon to worry about, GOP leaders kept up a steady drumbeat of criticism of Democratic nominee George McGovern. Sen. Robert Dole of

night and final adjournment at 10:20 p.m. Wednesday, the Republican convention loomed as a sharp contrast to the allnight sessions and bruising month's Democratic Convention here. Only one issue appeared headed for a battle on the convention floor, the question of

convention in 1976

the solid Republican unity marking this convention.

statement on abortion.

only one for vice president.

Kansas, the party chairman, (See back page, sec. 1, col. 1)



YOUNG POLITICIAN: His Nixon hat cocked at a rakish angle, Page Evans, 6, revels in the attention he's getting in Miami Beach as the son of Thomas Evans, Jr., co-chairman of the Republican National Committee. (AP Wirephoto)

V-M Certified To Apply For Federal Aid

WASHINGTON Congressman Edward Hut- Before any such assistance is Expansion Act of 1962.

Dept. assistant secretary, told Secretary of Commerce (1.) to Cong. Hutchinson that V-M, be reasonably calculated to the manufacturer of record changers, radio-phonograph firm, (2.) that the proposal give combinations, tape recorders, adequate consideration to the players and decks, had suffered serious injury because firm who have been adversely competitive articles were being imported into the U.S. in increased quantity.

came after V-M applied to the development. The U.S. Com-U.S. Tariff Commission for a merce Dept. will notify V-M of determination of eligibility to the action on Tuesday. apply for adjustment assistance. The Tariff Commission voted unanimously (with one commissioner not participating) that largely as a result of concessions granted Editorials under international trade agreements, V-M now would be eligible to apply for aid. The determination of eligibility is a prerequisite for application for assistance.

Cong. Hutchinson said the company may now apply for adjustment assistance by submitting an adjustment proposal to the Commerce Dept. There are three types of assistance-technical, fina-

chinson today announced that granted, however, Cong. the U.S. Commerce Dept. Hutchinson said the firm must would certify V-M Corp. of meet all applicable statuatory Benton Harbor eligible to apply requirements of the trade for adjustment assistance expansion act. These include a under provisions of the ade requirement that the firm's adjustment assistance A.E. Gibson, Commerce proposal be certified by the economic adjustment of the interest of the workers of the affected, (3.) to demonstrate that the firm will make all reasonable effort to use its own The Commerce Dept. action resources in economic

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ncial and tax-under the trade Happy 30th. Eloise Fisk. Adv.

29, 30, 31



INJURED NAZI LEAVES PARK: An American Nazi party member who sustained severe facial injuries during a fight in Miami Beach's Flamingo Park Sunday is carried from a platform where the fight took place and out of the park by Vietnam Veterans Against the War. (AP Wirephoto)

Milliken Mum On GOP Busing Stand

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The Republican Party Resolubusing plank, disclosed by the constitution" if it is necessary American flag, locked arms at tions Committee has adopted a Resolutions Committee Satur- to achieve "better education the hotel entrances and harapowerful anti-busing resolution day and readied for presenta- for all children" and the ngued and jostled dinner guests that drew enthusiastic praise tion to the Republican National "neighborhood school con- arriving in tuxedoes and forfrom Michigan U.S. Sen. Robpublican, Gov. William Milli-

Convention, "was much more cept."

Griffin said Sunday the anti- appropriate amendment to the

Protestors Get Ready; Police Too

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — way through the jeering pro-Police and protesters got ac- testers. After an hour, the quainted across a line of night- troopers moved slowly forward sticks on the eve of the Re- and forced the demonstrators publican National Convention away from the premises. as demonstrators capped a day The demonstrators gave of street action with an at- ground, pounding on roofs and tempted disruption of a GOP

Sunday was, however, they began the two-mile southclearly a day of preparation for bound trek back to Flamingo both sides.

Only a fraction of the assembled protestors and a small and no injuries. The only casuband of police participated in alties apparently were egg-Sunday's main event.

Most of the 4,000 demonstra- scuffed satin slippers and torn tors remained in Flamingo ball gowns. Park while the 1,000 National Guard troops and 2,500 Army ther of the two conventions that paratroopers stood by in their nonparticipants had been encampments, but were never called.

An "Honor America" parade and a "dishonor Amerika" rally occupied attention earlier Sunday. So did a marijuana smoke-in, an anti-Nixon rock opera and the bodily ejection from the park of a contingent from the American Nazi Party.

But the day's only real confrontation came at nightfall, when some 350 members of the Students for a Democratic Society marched in front of the plush Fontainebleau Hotel just as party faithful were gathering for a \$500-a-plate gala. President Nixon's wife and daughters - guests of honor -

already were inside. Chanting "keep the rich out," the demonstrators burned an mal gowns.

About 200 helmeted state troopers stood shoulder-toshoulder in front of the hotel as



FIRST TUNA BOAT: The Midwest's first tuna boat, the Margaret L. is launched by Peterson Builders, Inc. Saturday at Sturgeon Bay, Wis. The boat, valued at 41/2 million dollars, will be sent to a San Diego concern. It has a capacity of 2,000 tons of tuna. (AP Wirephoto)

ert Griffin and a sidestep from than I'd hoped for. It's good, Griffin has introduced an the state's second-ranking Re- solid, unequivocal." amendment to the U.S. Con-The resolution says Republicans "favor consideration of an (See back page, sec. 1, col. 1) early arrivals elbowed their

GOP Convention Schedule

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) - Schedule for today's sessions of the Republican National Convention:

1 p.m. EDT - Opening ceremonies; welcoming speeches; official call for the convention; election of temporary chairman; adoption of temporary rules and formal appointment of members of Credentials, Permanent Organization, Rules and Platform committees; report on Senate Campaign Committee plans; filmed tribute to the late President Dwight D. Eisenhower; adjournment 3 p.m.

8:30 p.m. - Opening ceremonies; keynote speeches by Sen. Edward Brooke of Massachusetts, Mayor Richard Lugar of Indianapolis and Anne Armstrong, cochairman of the Republican National Committee; filmed tribute to Mrs. Richard Nixon; adjournment 10:30 p.m.

THE HERALD-PRESS **Editorial Page**

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Squabbling Not Unusual In History Of Olympics

the 1972 Olympic Summer Games—next Saturday in Munich, West Germany. The Games are supposed to engender goodwill among nations. But do they? Some times there is cause to wonder. The only certain good feelings of the last several Games appear to have been those generated between the more fun-loving of the male and female athletes.

The Olympic spirit of selfless international amateurism and brotherhood has been under siege the past few decades. Baron Pierre de Coubertin, the Frenchman responsible for the revival of Olympic competition in 1896, was fond of saying: "The important thing is not winning but taking part." A high percentage of today's Olympic athletes would subscribe instead to the late Vince Lombardi's dictum that, "Winning isn't everything. It's the only thing.'

Since an Olympic gold medal confers instant prestige on both the athlete and his country, the lofty goals of the quadrennial Games tend to receive only lip-service. Far from building amity among nations, the Olympics often start new quarrels.

The problem hardly is new. When the United States won more medals than any other country at the 1928 Olympics in Amsterdam, the president of the U.S. Olympic Committee could barely contain himself. "Nothing is more synonymous of our national success than is our national success in athletics," Douglas MacArthur declared. "This team proved itself a worthy successor of its brilliant predecessors."

Many Americans were shocked when Tommie Smith and John Carlos, who finished one-three in the 200-meter dash at the 1968 Games, raised black-gloved fists on the winners' stand to dramatize their concern about the black man's plight. The Olympics, it was argued, are no forum for political or any other kind of protest.

As with the quest for prestige, however, Games. "At the 1908 Games in London, Forrest Smithson, of Notre Dame, was so incensed that the 110-meter hurdle race was being held on a religious holiday that he ran with a Bible in his left hand," William Johnson recently recalled in Oktoberfest begins in August.

This is the week that marks the start of Sports Illustrated. "He won and set a world record."

More trouble arose that same year. On arriving at the Olympic stadium, the U.S. team noticed with anger that the Stars and Stripes was missing from the display of flags of competing nations. Thus, when the American contingent marched in review past King Edward VII's box, the flag-bearer held his banner erect. The American flag has never since been dipped in deference to a foreign head of

Twelve African countries have announced that they will boycott this year's Munich Games to protest Rhodesia's participation-because of that country's apartheid policy. Over the past weekend in Munich, U.S. black track and field athletes, who earlier threatened to join the anti-Rhodesia boycott, refused to take part in a pre-Olympic tuneup meet because Rhodesia was still present.

On the other hand, the U.S. boxing coach, who is black, said his fighters, most of whom are black, didn't come to Munich "for politics, and they're going to box." No one can predict with certainty whether all, or even some, of the black American track stars will refuse to compete when the real Games start Saturday. Nor does anyone know for sure if Rhodesia will still be on the Olympic roster come Saturday. Four years ago South Africa got booted out after similar protests by African nations.

Whatever happens, the United States may have plenty of trouble winning medals in Munich-with or without the black track men. Since 1968, the level of competition in most Olympic events has improved substantially. Esquire magazine, for example, recently declared that "the U.S. will come out of Munich this summer with even less than Neville Chamberlain got."

But the city of Munich already is a protest is no stranger to the Olympic winner. It now has badly needed modern sports facilities, a vastly improved transportation system, and new parks and housing—all built over the past several years in anticipation of the Olympics. For Germany's fastest-growing city, the 1972

Cracking The China Market

relations, several U.S. firms are finding the China market difficult to crack. Companies with subsidiaries in Taiwan, South Korea or South Viet Nam have a particularly hard time. Even some foreign firms in which Americans have invested reportedly have been rebuffed by Peking.

A reporter in Hong Kong writes that, "Japanese firms with more than 20 per cent of their capital in American hands are banned from trade with China." In Britain and the Netherlands, "only wholly owned U.S. subsidiaries are forbidden to engage in commerce with Chinese trade corporations." By contrast, Canada has, managed to escape all restrictions on the proportion of U.S. capital in companies trading with China.

Thus, a considerable number of American interests will be represented when Canada mounts the biggest onecountry trade show ever permitted in China. External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp opens the 13-day trade fair today in Peking's northern suburbs. On display, among other things, will be tractors, trucks, mining machinery and electronic equipment, the products, in many cases, of American firms operating in Canada.

Only a handful of Americans received invitations to the semi-annual Canton trade fair last April. The Canadians have been pressing ahead vigorously in their

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1 mo - \$6.50; 1 wk - \$1.65.

Despite the thaw in Sino-American trade assault. Trade and Commerce Minister Jean-Luc Pepin visited China in June, 1971 to clear the way for "as broad a representation of the Canadian business community as possible."

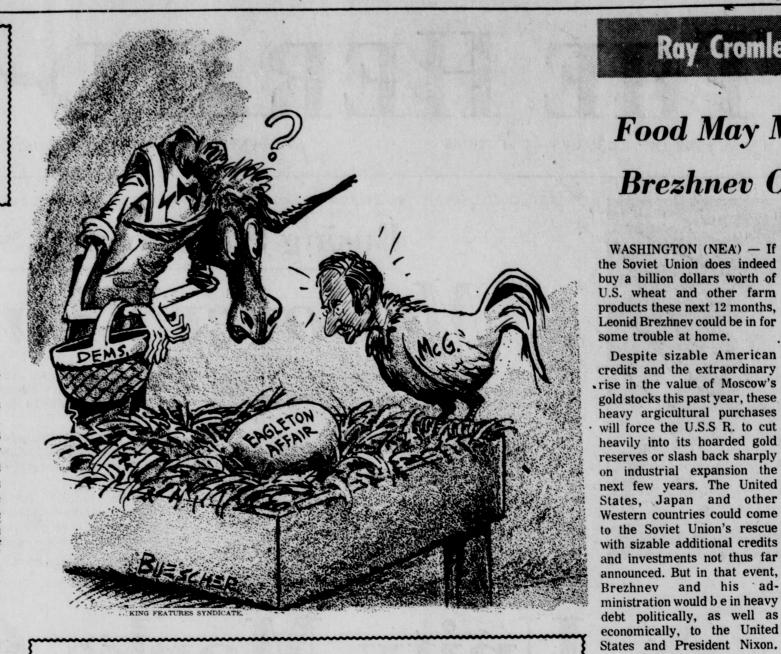
> Canada's first all manufacturing trade mission to China was held last March, well in advance of the Canton affair. A 12man sales mission presented such highly specialized products as the short takeoff and landing (STOL) Twin Otter aircraft produced by De Havilland of Canada. The Canadians reportedly hope to sell equipment for processing steel, pharmaceuticals for animal use, and sophisticated geophysical instruments.

> For some time to come, however, Canada's major export to China probably will continue to be wheat. Total sales to China came to \$205 million last year and nearly \$191 million of that was for grain. In order to keep the imbalance of trade from becoming too great, Canada has organized buying missions to Peking. A team organized by the Canadian Importers' Association visited the People's Republic last April.

> The dream of a huge China market continues to intrigue Western traders. At first, it was hoped that China would become an unparalleled consumer market, 750 million strong. It has long since been realized that the Chinese have neither the money nor the taste for most Western consumer items. "It's a minimarket for imported products," on the view of one East-West trade expert, James A. Ramsey.

John Burns, Peking based reporter for the Toronto Globe and Mail, writes that no experienced China hand accepts immediate sales as a fair test of trade fairs. "Rather, they regard the fairs as an opportunity to impress the Chinese with the range and quality of their country's products in the hope that the Chinese will turn to them when the time comes to place substantial orders."

For a few specialized industries, China does represent a large and reliable market. What the Chinese are believed to want most desperately are telecommunications equipment, jetliners, chemicals and fertilizers. Canada is in a good position to capitalize on some of these needs. So are American firms operating in Canada.



GLANCING BACKWARDS

MEAT ANIMALS BRING \$42,079

-1 Year Agoand businessmen for 224 of the county's finest meat animals yesterday at the 26th annual Berrien County Youth Fair's livestock auction

Prices paid at the auction

MERCY COUNCIL

LIKED COVERAGE

wish to thank you for the

coverage and pictures of the

Surgery Dept's open house,

There are many working

besides the Bargaining branch, area.

committees in the council,

which work with Administra-

Acquainting our members to

what their sister nurses do

in special units is one of

Our Surgery nurses did such

sorry we were not able to open

the tour to all hospital per-

Mercy Hospital Staff Council.

UNDERSTANDS

"POETRY BAN"

During the past several

weeks, several of your readers

have written to this column to

express their disappointment

concerning the "poetry ban"

which became necessary due to

a change in editorial policy.

After reading the letter which I

received about two months ago,

I can understand the reason for

this change in policy. However,

common sense tells me that in

the course of time you must

have received possibly hundred

of "unprintable" letters on

various subjects, and you

exercised your right of

discretion in such matters. I

fail to see why you cannot

simply exercise the same right

in regard to thought of your

readers when they are ex-

However, this is not the

purpose of my letter. During

the ten years that I have been

publication in your paper, I

have always been treated fairly

and given every courtesy and

consideration, and I want to

express my thanks to you and

your staff for the fair treatment

Some time ago, a certain

"critic" referred to me as the

"Geritol set poet" ... and he may

be interested to know that he

was right. By this I mean that

the vast majority of the huge

stack of cards and letters that I

have received from your

readers during the past ten

years have been from hospital

you have always given me.

verse

pressed in verse.

submitting

our current projects.

Betty Barrie, RA

Jackie Kemp, LPN.

Staff Council Chairmen

August 16.

sonnel.

EDITOR'S MAILBAG

tion to improve patient care, and your staff; to those won-

a tremendous job, that we were you...each and all.

worth while.

averaged well above prevailing superintendent, Donald G. market quotations for hogs, lambs and steers, as numerous A total of \$42,079.50 was youngsters donated the shelled out by area retailers proceeds from the sale of their animals to the Youth Fair

> IN BRIDGMAN -10 Years Ago-

Newly

Since joining the South-

some very interesting people,

and picked up some very

So, again, to you Mr. Editor,

derful people who have written

you, all of you, and God bless

Chet Garlanger

820 Court street

St. Joseph.

association. **NEW CITY CHIEF**

appointed city

Allied headquarters an-I have accomplished something

nounced today that an American naval expedition has captured two stepping-stone islands aimed directly at the Italian mainland north of Sicily with the surrender of Lipari The Staff Council, or all RN's western Michigan Writers Club and Stromboli in the and LPN's, of Mercy hospital, a few months ago, I have met Tyrrnenian sea.

> **ELECT DELEGATES** -39 Years Ago-

Atty. Edward Brown, Leo R. to express their appreciation of Kallinger and President Ross Smith of the St. Joseph Kiwanis my writings, especially the "Geritol set"...I say Thank club have been elected delegates to the Michigan district convention of the Kiwanis at Bay City. Alternates are George S. Campbell

Officer **Badly**

DETROIT (AP) - A Detroit policeman was in serious condition today after being shot five times in a gun battle with two prison escapees.

Officers said the shooting began when Patrolmen Charles McKinney, 28, and William Dildy, 30, stopped a car Sunday night because of a loud muffler and faulty tail light.

Four men were in the car. Police said the driver, Russell Mann, 28, jumped out, pulled a pistol from a shoulder holster and fired repeatedly at McKinney. McKinney was hit in the back, shoulder and hand.

Dildy shot back, hitting Mann and Chester G. Dickerson, 30, in the legs, knees and feet. Both men were hospitalized but the other two occupants of the car escaped.

Authorities said Mann is an escapee from Ionia State Prison where he was serving six to 10 years on an attempted armed robbery charge. Dickerson was identified by police as an escapee from Southern Michigan Prison.

Dickerson escaped July 14 while serving seven to 15 years for attempted armed robbery. Police said they will charge both Dickerson and Mann with assault with intent to murder.

ARABS ARRESTED patients, elderly people, those • ROME (AP) - Rome police

in convalescent homes, etc. I say they have arrested the two feel that if I have done anything Arabs who gave two British to make the lives of these girls the booby-trapped record people even a little bit brighter, player that exploded aboard then my efforts at writing have an Israeli jetliner carrying not been in vain, and I feel that 149 persons last week.

Saladin, 37, of Grand Rapids, will start to work on Monday, it was announced today. Although he begin work, he

will officially take charge on Sept. 4. Saladin was recently appointed to succeed Chalmer Ackerman, who is scheduled to enter Notre Dame university this fall to study for a law degree. He has been city manager for the past five

TWO ISLES CAPTURED -29 Years Ago-

Stromboli island lies 50 miles worthwhile tips on various north of the Sicilian port of kinds of writing. This sort of Messina. Lipari is 35 miles thing makes an interesting above Messina. The tiny isles form the main part of the hobby for many people in this Aeolian group.

and Charles L. Miller.

ON VACATION -49 Years Ago -

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Rutkoskie and family have gone to the Wisconsin Dells and northern Michigan for a two weeks trip. On their way home they will visit the Frank Lopkers at Bear Lake.

> FEATURE FILM -59 Years Ago -

Cooper's "Deerslayer," a great feature film, will be shown at the Airdrome.

> THE WATER'S FINE -81 Years Ago-

The surf bathing is fine now and hundreds of bathers can be seen sporting at the beach every evening.

march toward re-election which President Richard Nixon begins officially here this week may end with an election day that features a new wrinkle not present when he narrowly squeaked into office four years

MIAMI BEACH - The

It may be a national public holiday.

A measure to accomplish this was approved by the Senate ten days ago. It was passed as an amendment to a bill to authorize a new \$6.7 million budget for the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, and therefore virtually escaped public notice.

The bicentennial bill is currently being held up in the House while Democrats investigate charges that the White House has been playing political hanky-panky with the celebration plans. But it is expected to be passed by mid-September, and the election day holiday amendment sustained by the conference committee-in ample time to take effect this year.

At first blush, it seems as though such a move would help



"Just think, if we're elected, I'll be 'Mr. Vice-President' instead of 'that guy who married one of the Kennedy

Food May Mean

Ray Cromley

Despite sizable American

Cutting sharply into the gold

stocks is a highly sensitive

issue in the U.S.S.R., which

Nikita Krushchev learned to

his sorrow in a similar situation

Worse yet, these huge grain

purchases result from two

agricultural failures in a row.

The U.S.S.R. winter crop was

miserable. The spring crop has

a number of years back.

been called a disaster.

Brezhnev Crisis

WASHINGTON (NEA) - If himself from crop failure. But in the end, as suggested above, the Soviet Union does indeed agricultural difficulties were a buy a billion dollars worth of primary cause of his ouster U.S. wheat and other farm products these next 12 months, from power. Brezhnev will indoutedly Leonid Brezhnev could be in for survive, where Khrushchev did

not. Brezhnev has successfully downgraded the strongest of his opponents and infiltrated his henchmen into key power Nevertheless, the price Brezhnev will pay in internal infighting is expected to be great. There will be strong

criticism within the Politburo and the Central Committee of the way Brezhnev has handled agriculture and the economy. His remaining enemies in high places will go at him with For this agricultural crisis comes on top of other Russian problems. Although the shift in

Caire may actually be to Russia's advantage, in that it gets the U.S.S.R. out of an expensive, exposed, no-win position; Brezhnev's handling of the Egyptian crisis gives added ammunition to his foes. Brezhnev will also most certainly draw fire within the

party for his bungled handling of North Vietnam this past year, for growing problems in East Europe and for his inability to bring the open fight with China under some control.

To offset these failures, Agricultural successes and Brezhnev must pull a rather failures are major emotional, large rabbit out of his hat. political and economic issues in the Soviet Union. Khrushchev Again, it seems likely that his gambled with a mammoth best bet is some sort of an long-shot Siberian agricultural economic deal with the United development program to save

Marianne Means Election Day A Holiday?

Democrats more Republicans. Of 116,535,000 citizens of voting age in 1968. only 67.8 per cent went to the

But 80 per cent of those earning \$10,000 yearly or more voted, while the percentage of those earning less money voted Traditionally, lower-income

voters are heavily Democratic. Sen. Hubert Humphrey, who introduced the measure, explained: "The worker on the assembly line sees the morning line and the evening line at the polling place going around the block. In the morning he must get to work and in the evening he is anxious to get home to his family . . . Many workers give up their franchise (to vote) in

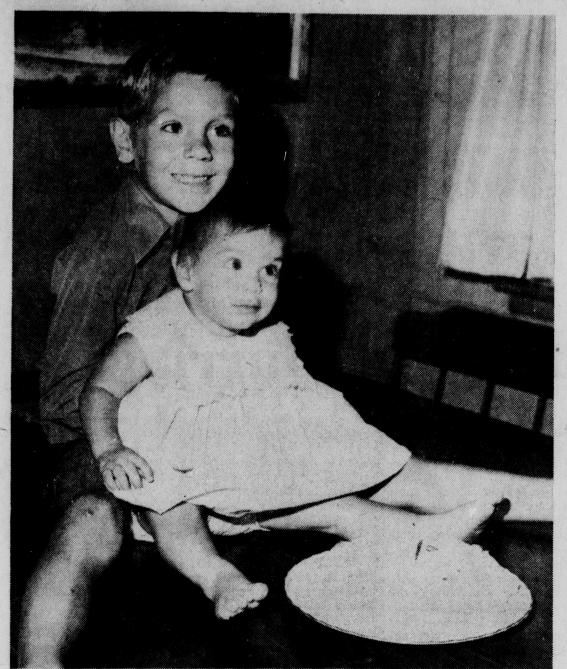
despair." Yet this does not necessarily mean that Democrats will benefit more than Republicans from improved access to the polls. In fact, the holiday bill passed the Senate with heavy bipartisan support; it was mostly Southern traditionalists, who are Democratic, who opposed it.

Farmers and executives who might vote Republican have just as much trouble wedging in a free hour to get to the polls during their working day as do factory laborers. Housewives with young children to care for whose husbands are at work cannot leave the house to vote.

In addition, a holiday ought to be an asset to both parties by increasing the number of partisans free to volunteer for election day chores, such as getting out other voters and poll-watching. This year that may even help Nixon more than George McGovern, since McGovern is relying heavily on student volunteers who are free to cut classes and Nixon is leaning more on adults, many of whom may have difficulty leaving their jobs.

Cynics contend that making election day a holiday will only give everybody another day to go fishing and not substantially increase voter participation. But if it encourages only one per cent to vote that might otherwise have failed to bother. it will be well worth the exercise.

And it could be vastly significant. Remember, Nixon won by only a half per cent in



OUR BIRTHDAY: Donald, 6, and Monica, 1, children of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sales, of 1688 Kay drive, Benton Heights, were celebrating because two is better than one. Both children were born on Aug. 16 which means two birthday parties on the same day. (Staff photo)



Skibbe, 11, of Eau Claire, won

the grand championship in fruit

displays at the Fair with her

exhibit of Transparent apples.

She is the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Richard Skibbe, 5560

Tabor road, Eau Claire.

Darlene entered 13 exhibits in

the fruit division, all winning

blue ribbons. (Jean Bishop

Youth Fair Gate Sets of the youth of our county and

BY ALAN AREND Staff Writer

BERRIEN SPRINGS ---Over 100,000 persons visited the Berrien County Youth Fair this past week establishing a new said. attendance record for the fiveday event. Saturday's crowd of 21,808

pushed the total figure for the 27th annual Youth Fair to 100,870, breaking the record set last year by 2,273 persons.

"We're very elated and pleased that the people of Berrien county responded in such a great way to the efforts

State Trooper's Son Is Shot Accidentally

SOUTH HAVEN — The son of a state police trooper assigned to the South Haven post was accidentally shot with his father's service revolver last night, according to city police.

Daniel Diekema, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Diekema, 450 Bailey avenue, was listed in serious condition today in the intensive care unit of Bronson hospital in Kalamazoo.

Police said the boy was shot by his nine-year-old brother, Steve, as they played in their parents' bedroom. The older boy said he took the revolver from a dresser drawer and that it fired when he pointed it at his brother.

The .38 caliber bullet entered the thigh and exited through a

Police said the parents were not at home when the mishap occurred at 7:50 p.m., and that the boys were being watched by a baby-sitter.

U.S. Funds To Help Build SJ River Park

WASHINGTON - Congressman Edward Hutchinson today announced that the U.S. Department of the Interior would award a \$49,200 grant to the Village of Berrien Springs for development of a park on the east bank of the

State funds of \$43,6500 and \$5,550 from local sources will provide \$98,400 for a boat launch facility, campground, picnic area and equipment, a public fishing site and roads. The money also will be used for lighting, landscaping, restroom sewers, a fish cleaning stand and parking.

Congressman Hutchinson said the grant would come from the Interior Department's Land and Water Conservation Fund which helps state and local governments purchase needed lands and develop outdoor recreation

The Fund receives revenues from sale of surplus federal real estate, federal motorboat fuel taxes, annual appropriations from the Outer Continental Shelf mineral receipts or from the U.S. Treasury.

The park will be located on the east bank of the St. Joseph River near the U.S. 33-31 bridge.

Catholics Will Open Schools On Aug. 31

Half-Day Sessions Will Be Held For First Week

school system will open the 1972-73 school year with a week of half-day sessions beginning Thursday, Aug. 31.

New High School Principal Donald Stock and Thomas Hornick, new middle school principal, jointly announced the school opening dates for the estimated 900 students presently registered for grades one through 12. Student registrations are still underway at the respective principal's offices.

They also reported the local Catholic school system has purchased five school buses, three of them new. The buses will be used in the shuttle service between the system's schools in the Twin Cities, and in certain outlying areas to complement the bus services from the Benton Harbor and St. Joseph public school systems. The schedule for the half-day

opening sessions are: Thurs., Aug. 31 - High school freshmen and sophomores only, 8:45 to 11:30

Fri., Sept. 1 — High school juniors and seniors only, 8:45 to 11:30 a.m.

Thurs., Aug. 31 - Middle school grades 4,5 and 6 only, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Fri., Sept. 1 — Middle school grades 7 and 8 only, 8:30 to

nard's, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Full day sessions will begin for all LMC students on Tuesday, Sept. 5, except Grades 1, 2 and 3 which will have half-day sessions on Sept. 5 and 6. No classes are scheduled for Monday, Sept. 4, Labor Day.

President Norris also ex-Bus transportation will not be tended personal thanks to the available for the half-day thousands of volunteer workers opening sessions on Aug. 31 and at the Fair for their help in Sept. 1, but bus service will making the 1972 Fair "the best start Sept. 5, along with "It would be impossible to cafeteria service.

Free and reduced price lunch programs are available for some students this year, based on family size and income. The eligibility scale starts at an annual income of \$2,450 up to \$9,700 for a family of 12.

According to Hornick, the middle school's primary classes 1, 2 and 3 will be conducted again this year at St. Bernard's in Fairplain under Sister Ann Frye. Sister Ann has announced that the primary school will continue its nongraded system during the new school year.

The entire LMC faculty is scheduled to attend the a statewide conference of nonpublic school educators in Grand Rapids Aug. 28-30.

The bus runs into the outlying

TOPS IN VEGETABLES:

David Dasse, 16, of Baroda,

holds his jumbo display of

assorted vegetables that was

named the grand champion

display in vegetables at the

1972 Berrien County Youth

Fair. David, the son of Mr. and

Mrs. Duane Dasse, Route 1,

Baroda, will be a sophomore at

Lakeshore high school. (Staff

horses; and Tryon Skirts and

In the garden tractor pulling contest Don Ewans of Berrien Springs placed first in the heavyweight class and Larry Camp of Niles in the lightweight division.

everyone involved with the

Fair." Robert Norris of

Berrien Center, president of

the Youth Fair association,

thank the many volunteer

workers at the Fair for the time

they've spent in putting the

whole show together," he said.

"But it just goes to show what

can be done when everyone

That team will be going to

work again soon on next year's

Fair. In competition at the

Youth Fair Saturday the

following individuals placed

first in the seven different

classes of the tractor pulling

contest: Mel Enders, Eau

Buchanan; Don Schmaltz,

Baroda: Charles Paarlberg,

Berrien Springs; Dean Loz-

mack, Galien; Gary Zandarski,

Berrien Springs and Dennis

Baldwin,

Ron

Claire;

Krieger, Harbert.

works together as a team."

Al Merrill of Dowagiac placed first in the pony pulling contest's heavyweight division, with George McKibbin of Cassopolis and Don Williams of Jones finishing second and third, respectively.

Capturing first in the lightweight class was Art Merrill of Dowagiac, followed by Frank Goens of Cassopolis and Homer Schwartz of Marcellus.

Youth exhibitor demonstrations winners were also announced Saturday. They were Sherree Schultz and Mary Nye, both of St. Joseph in agricultural demonstrations; Nancy Zielke of Bridgman in food demonstartions; and Susan Bennett of Berrien Springs in home economics demonstrations.

The following clubs won blue ribbons for keeping the cleanest barns throughout Fair week. They were: South Lakers in beef; Galien Chanters in swine; Tryon Skirts and Jeans in dairy; Tryon Saddle in large Jeans in sheep. Additionally, bus service will St. Joseph city.

The Lake Michigan Catholic areas will include one to the be provided in the west Fair-Stevensville-Lakeshore area, plain section for first, second another to the Riverside-Lake and third grade pupils at St. Michigan Beach area, and a Bernard's. An afternoon-only third to the Scottdale area. run will serve the south part - of



DONALD STOCK **High School Principal**



THOMAS HORNICK Middle School Principal

BH School Polls Open Till 8

Benton Harbor school district residents have until 8 o'clock tonight to ballot on 3.5 mills in additional operating

Twenty-seven precincts are open throughout the district. All registered voters are eligible to ballot.

The 3.5 mills would be levied for three years and raise \$600,000 for this year's operations. Without the 3.5 mills,

the budget will have to be cut by \$600,000, the board of education has said.

An early morning spot check of precincts showed moderate to light voting. Fairplain West reported 45 ballots cast by 9 a.m. — the most of any precinct checked. Sterne Brunson in the city had 25, senior high 16 and North Shore school 11.

Today's voting is on paper ballots.

Berrien Vote Asked On Juvenile Center

Berrien county com- average levy would be .185 of a \$1.5 million bond issue for of \$10,000. construction of a juvenile Grau, chairman of the county not just a Bastille. It is a new center. Fri., Sept. 1 - Primary rehabilitation and detention administration committee, concept in corrections giving The center is just one of home.

> Announcement of the request was made this morning by County Commissioners Otto Grau and Nancy Clark.

Grau said the bond issue would be amortized in 10 years by a special property tax that would range from .199 of a mill to .150 of a mill annually. The

Atty. Taylor **Elected I reasurer**

Berrien county Prosecuting Atty. Ronald J. Taylor was elected treasurer of the Prosecuting Attorneys Association of Michigan at the association's 45th annual

convention at Mackinac Island. one-year term beginning immediately.

The association boasts nearly 400 members, which include prosecuting attorneys and members of their staffs.

said the county has to "go to the voters" in November because talk to them along with medical there is no guarantee of federal and psychiatric treatment." funds for the project.

would be reduced accordingly, Grau said.

The November election is the last time to ask voter approval without calling a special election which would cost the county about \$25,000, Grau explained.

If the facility is approved, Cass and Van Buren county would be charged for its use on a per diem basis, Grau said. The center orginally was proposed as a tri-county venture, but Van Buren pulled out in 1970 and Cass has taken no action on contributing its share of the funds.

The proposed 41-bed Taylor was elected to serve a juvenile center culminates three years of study financed by a \$100,000 planning grant from the Region Four Law Enforcement Planning com-Michigan's 83 elected county mission created in 1968 by the federal Omnibus crime control and safe streets law.

Grau said the center would missioners will be asked today mill or \$1.85 a year on a home have a detention section with 14 15-acre site adjoining Berrien to put on the November ballot a with state equalized valuation beds plus a 27-bed General hospital near Berrien rehabilitation section. "This is Center to use to house the

> available, the tax millage result of the center would be to place them in group homes or

Many youths lack discipline Grau noted. County officials If federal funds become and need love and the end are optimistic about obtaining halfway houses, remarked.

The county already owns a

juveniles a home with a staff to several programs being planned to cope with juvenile problems in Berrien county, state funds to start a halfway house, a crisis center and an Grau attention center for juvenile offenders and runaways.

Watervliet Youth Pulled From Lake

A Berrien Marine Patrol deputy, hearing cries for help, pulled a 16-year-old Watervliet youth from Paw Paw lake vesterday afternoon when the boat the boy was operating

capsized, deputies reported. Sgt. Bud Lange said he heard the cries at 3:15 p.m., and saw a boat had capsized about 100 yards from the east shore south of Schulte's Marina. Scott Anderson, of 1017 Windemere road, Watervliet, was pulled to safety, and then the boat towed to its owner, Lange reported.

The boat is owned by Barney Hollis, of 1000 Windemere road, who had given the Anderson youth permission to operate the boat, according to the officer.

Lange said the boy could give no explanation of why the boat capsized.

Correct Words Count Double

points towards the contest's third prize. grand prize of an expenses paid The contest appears daily in newspaper, announced today. own telephone numbers.

In the contest, weekly win-

Three Trips

The Twin City YMCA is arranging three trips for boys and girls, ages 9 to 13.

Deer Forest Tuesday; tour the Ridgway street, St. Joseph, and Berrien county courthouse and Mrs. Toni Hardin, of 684 county jail Thursday and take a Clemens street, also St. Joseph. fishing trip to Silver Beach They will split the \$50 cash Tuesday, Aug. 29.

Transportation for each trip horses; Hi-Hopes in small made with Terry Bambrick, youth director.

Correct words submitted in first prize, a portable color this week's Phonegrams television set as second prize, contest will be worth double and a component stereo set as

trip to Miami Beach and the this newspaper, and entrants Bahamas, Chuck Bowie, cir- compete to form words based culation manager of this on contest code words and their

Each week the person subners not only receive or share mitting the highest number of in \$50 in cash, but become correct words, as determined eligible towards the grand by Webster's International prizes, which include the trip as Unabridged Dictionary, Third Edition, becomes the weekly winner and their words count as points towards the grand prizes.

Winners in last week's contest, both with seven correct words submitted, were Youngsters will go to Deer Mrs. Lucy Bridgham, of 424

weekly prize. Mrs. Bridgham was also a is 25 cents. Reservations can be winner in the second week of the contest, and now has 12 points toward the grand prizes.



MRS. LUCY BRIDGHAM 7th Week Co-Winner



MRS. TONI HARDIN

Two Men Sought In Niles Robbery

NILES — Two men are being sought by city police in connection with last night's armed robbery of the Open Pantry,

Police said the clerk, Tom Slone of Mishawaka, told-them the men walked into the store about 10 p.m., and one of them pointed a pistol at him demanding money from the cash

register. They then fled on foot with about \$150. One of the robbers was described as about six feet tall, with red hair, and wearing wire-rimmed glasses and a red shirt. The other one, also about six feet, had long dark brown hair, and wearing brown pants and a light colored shirt. Both men were white.

Brant Struggling For CanAmer Equality

By BILL MOORE

Staff Sports Writer When CanAmer officials themselves. The struggle for scoring system is used to help begin talking about the winning and losing can turn balance the difference between Olympian Games which were into a fierce rivalry. And, so the two counties, the actual the number of athletes from held in Berrien County this past far, Berrien County has difference in winning and which each county has to draw, the smaller towns around." weekend, most of the attention emerged the victor. is focused on the friendship
In the three previous years themselves.

STALL TO YOUR DEATH OF THE STALL AND A STA

competition. between Berrien and Brant this year. County, Ontario, Canada are a stepping stone for a growing the Games, Berrien athletes day's competition. "Berrien this year's 325-man team kinship for all persons involved won championships in six. has nearly twice the population coming out of 500 who atin the Olympics.

But of equal importance, two events in any one year of cream of the crop against us."

especially to the competing competition. athletes, are the Games

aspect which comes out of the two counties have met, Berrien has been the easy disadvantage in these Games," Granted, the annual Games winner. And it was the same said William Boyce, Brant competition.

Brant has never won more than as we and they can take the tempted to make it.

losing lies in the athletes

County CanAmer director, In Brant, the athletes are Of the eight sporting areas in upon the conclusion of Satur- picked via a tryout basis, with

Although a complicated population of about 160,000, Brant lists a populace of about 90,000. But even more lopside is

Nearly 5,000 athletes competed in the Berrien Olympian "I think we are at a distinct Games, with all of the winners tion of about 65,000. advancing to the CanAmer

athletes do come from Brant- the Games ford, but there are some from

mittee carries on a year-round things theirs are too." publicity campaign to maintain

While Berrien has a our tryouts," said Boyce. The Canadian team itself is "They are countywide and selected in early June, then is anyone is eligible. Most of our trained for two months prior to

> "I think both counties have increased in both the quality Brantford is the county's and strength of their athletes," largest city, with a popula- said Boyce. "I know our athletes are better overall The Brant CanAmer com- every year. And by the looks of two championships.

Although all the CanAmer community interest in the sports are played in Brant Games. Their biggest money county, two of the county's raiser is a walk-a-thong which most popular sports-ice had nearly 1,300 participants hockey and lacrosse-have yet to be included in the Games.

the games. But right now it from the Berrien athletes. doesn't look like there will be any new changes," said Boyce.

Softball was the only new sport added this year- CanAmer Games.

The second came in probably began coming in late Saturday. the most prestigious of all the events-track and field.

meeting to review changes for Games. Much of it was coming

Sometimes it is hard to really distinguish what is the most important reward of the

replacing kickball-and the The disappointment of losing Canadians made it one of their was apparent among the Canadians as the final tallies

But that seemed almost secondary when the athletes When the track trophy was from both countries expressed presented in the closing handshakes and hugs of ceremonies Sunday, the ap- farewell before boarding the plause resounded as if the buses home.

Berrien Athletes Turn In Outstanding Performances

By JERRY DYKSTRA

Staff Sports Writer Triple swimming victories by formances turned in by Berrien 2,064 to 1,537 total point ad-Fred Danaher and Pam county athletes Saturday in vantage over their Brant honors 200-100. Yackey.

Joe Brown and Dave Furst.

Medalist golf honors by Rick Olympian Games. Eitman, at 14 one of the

carving their way to the overall county Canadian foes. Three track blue ribbons by team championship in the Based on the CanAmer point

title by winning first places in and rifle shooting 160-140, golf division.

annual CanAmer system, Americans captured

These were just some of the the six of the eight sports 100-0 and basketball 200-100. many impressive per- composing the Games for a Brant county took the track and field title 686-613 and softball

Perhaps the most outstanding effort in the Games was turned in by Canadian the wrestling team cham- Maida Murray. She took four Berrien Olympians easily pionship 265-34, the tennis title first places in the swimming youngest golfers in the com- chalked up their fourth straight 157-42, swimming 466-333, pistol competition in the 15-19 age

But Americans Danaher and Yackey also turned in noteworthy swimming accomplishments.

Danaher, who will be a ninthgrader this fall at Upton junior high, was a triple winner for the third straight year. Competing in the 13-14 age group, he captured firsts in the individual medley, freestyle backstroke.

Yackey, who was a double winner last summer. dividual medley, freestyle and backstroke in the 11-12 di-

Double swimming winners for Berrien were Andrea Cross, David Worthington, Mike Borre, Martha Bronfenbrenner and Wally Hadsell.

Berrien, which has never lost a basketball game in the four years, swept to easy wins in all four contests held in St. Joseph's gym. The midgets won 69-37, the intermediates 87-52, the juniors 116-45 and the seniors 113-91.

Greg Fraizer, a 5-11 center from Buchanan, sparked the midgets with 24 points while Kirby Lee from Benton Harbor had 13. Mike Howard of Benton Harbor with 21 and Mike McGuirt of Buchanan with 17 paced the intermediates.

The Benton Harbor duo of Gary Phillips and Dave Adkins scored 19 and 17 points, respectively, to lead the juniors. St. Joseph's Tom Scheffler poured in 25 points for the seniors. Ex-Bear star Packy Ryan netted 21. John Hunt and Don Childs, both from Benton Harbor, swished 19 and 16, respectively. Niles' Leonard Drake also had 16.

The biggest margin in any sport came in wrestling where Berrien won by 231 points. Americans won 31 of the 35 matches.

The Americans captured the golf team title for the first time. Eitman of Niles paved the way with a blistering 78 over the Orchard Hills country club course. The 14-year-old gained medalist honors in play against golfers up to age 19.

Other low Berrien golfers were Karl Smith with an 80 and David Hedstrom with an 81. Gail Faneuf led the Berrien girls with a 107.

The American pistol and rifle team took three of the five events to nose out Brant for the team championship. Berrien individual winners were Sam Rosenberg in civilian pistol, Dale Adams in police pistol, Al Rosinski in adult rifle and Neil Hays in junior rifle.

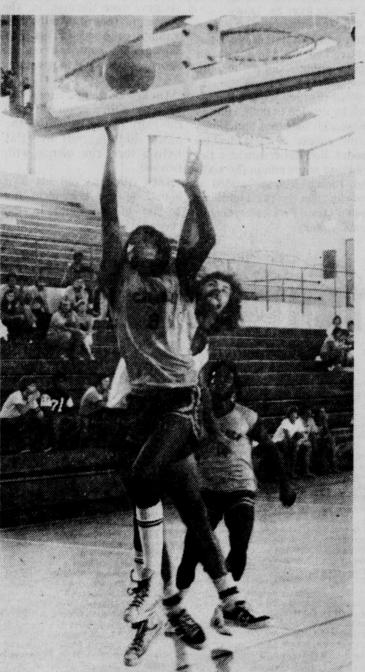
The Berrien tennis team defeated the Brant team by taking 15 of the 19 matches. including a sweep of the junior

Double winners for Berrien coach for the American squad. sprints.

ners couldn't keep Berrien out by Americans Ken 7.

STRAINING FOR THE BAR: Elic narmed of belief Harbor gives it all he has in the 10-11-year-old boys high

jump competition at the CanAmer track and field competition held at Filstrup Field. But even with the make it over the bar and failed to place in the event.



TWO FOR BERRIEN: Don Childs of Benton Harbor puts the ball up for a basket during the CanAmer senior divison basketball game at the St. Joseph high school gym. Childs finished the game with 16 points as Berrien County defeated Brant 113-91. Benton Harbor's John Hunt is looking on the action. (Staff photo)

Tom Ellsperman.

Brant accumulated most of

Ladies softball debuted as a

CanAmer sport Saturday and

The Brant athletes won the

midget contest 16-6, the junior

game 10-0 and the senior tilt 17-

its track points in all the girl's

from going down to its first Singleton, Jill Pridavka and team track defeat in the history of the Games.

Dave Furst, who will be a junior this fall at Brandywine, divisions and the open men's took firsts in the 880 run, high division. jump and tied for the top spot in the three mile.

Joining Furst as three-time the Berrien softballers quickly were Randy and Tim Mace, winner in the junior division learned their Canadian Jean Summers, Joan Kotas, was Joe Brown of Benton counterparts had something on Bernadine Salvadore and Dee Harbor. The speedster piled up the ball. Stevenson, who served as ribbons in the 100, 220 and 440

Even two triple track win- Deuce track wins were pulled



ONE OF TWO TITLES: Jill Pridvaka of Niles crosses the finish line well ahead of the rest of the field to win the girls 14-15 880-yard run at the CanAmer track and field meet. Jill also took first in the mile to finish a double winner in the meet. (Staff photo)

CanAmer Shooting

CIVILIAN PISTOL

Berrien (2531) - Sam Rosenberg 542, Rosinski 491, Richard Davis 467. Brant (2403) — Jerry Boilard 541, Ron Speechley 496, Jim Speechley 480, Rens Decker 458, Bill McLaughlin 428.

POLICE PISTOL Berrien (2452) - Dale Adams 522, Joe Davis 472, Tom Exum 459.

Brant (2381) - Jim Hall 514, Rens

ADULT RIFLE Richard Waddington 336. Berrien (1590) — Al Rosinski 355, Daryl Hauch 320.

JUNIOR RIFLE Berrien (1277)-Neil Hays 341, Jo Brant (946) - Joe Balog 319,

AIR RIFLE

CONGRATULATIONS, AGAIN: William Boyce (left), Brant County CanAmer

chairman, offers congratulations to Berrien County Chairman Larry Nielsen after

presenting Berrien the Can Amer championship trophy. It was the fourth year in a row

Berrien has won the CanAmer title. (Staff photo

SWIM STANDOUTS: These six Berrien county swimmers were double or triple winners Saturday at St. Joseph's pool. In front are David Worthington and Andrea Cross, both twin winner. In back are Martha Bronfenbrenner and Wally Hadsell, both double winners, and Pam Yackey and Fred Danaher, both triple winners. Not pictured is Mike Borre, also a two-time winner. (Staff photo)

Weather:





POLITICAL HISTORY: Mrs. Anne Armstrong tries out the microphones in Miami Beach's Convention Hall Sunday as she prepares for her history-making role in the Republican National Convention. Mrs. Armstrong, the first woman to be the Republican party's cochairman, will be the first woman to make a keynote speech at a GOP convention when she speaks tonight. (AP Wirephote)

ST. JOSEPH, MICH. MONDAY, AUGUST 21, 1972

Busing Stand Leaves State Democrats Cool

McGovern Labeled 'Loser'

DETROIT (AP) — Democratic presidential hopeful Sen. George McGovern is a loser, say many Michigan Democratic congressional candidates who don't want anything to do with him or his campaign, according to a survey conducted by the Detroit Free Press.

Some candidates, including a few incumbents, are even hedging about whether they will appear with the South Dakota senator if he visits their districts during the

'I would have to look at my schedule and see whether I could be there or not," said Congressman John Dingell of

William D. Ford of Taylor said he wants to see "what he comes up with as a campaign platform."

Presidential campaigns. President Eisenhower, in 1956, was the last Republican to carry the state in a Presidential race.

But this year school busing to achieve racial balance is a major state issue and McGovern is identified as pro-busing. President Nixon and other Republicans are on record opposing it.

McGovern hedged on the issue when he came to-Michigan. He said he disapproves of busing children from superior schools to inferior ones. Busing, he said, is a necessary tool to achieve equal education.

Because of the busing issue, McGovern's chances "are

probably remote," said Martha Griffiths of Detroit, a Democratic Congresswoman.
"I wouldn't hesitate to appear with him McGovern," said a Detroit Congressman, Lucien Nedzi, who indicated party loyalty should be stronger than disagreements over specific issues.

"At this time McGovern certainly would not be an asset," he added.

Congressman James G. O'Hara of Utica expressed what seems to be the prevailing attitude toward McGovern by Democrats torn between party loyalty and a desire for political survival:

"I'm not going out of my way to either avoid him or find him," O'Hara said.

Unity Marks Convention

Possible GOP Floor Fight May Spice Things Up

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) -Republicans launch their precisely scheduled convention today to renominate President

to head off a floor fight over the Dwight D. Eisenhower was to administration. An afternoon meeting of welcoming speeches and a filmed

shape of the 1976 convention. open the 1972 affair, followed by a night session featuring three keynote speeches to hail tribute to the late President accomplishments of the Nixon

The demonstrators gave

ground, pounding on roofs and

hoods of cars as they retreated. Then, proclaiming victory,

bound trek back to Flamingo

splattered dinner jackets,

scuffed satin slippers and torn

nonparticipants had been

(See back page, sec. 1, col. 1)

Lake Temperature

The temperature of Lake

Michigan at the shoreline today

is 70 degrees.

This was the first time at ei-

With everything With everything pro-grammed, down to Nixon's renomination Tuesday night, Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's selection Wednesday night and final adjournment at 10:20 p.m. Wednesday, the Republican convention loomed as a sharp contrast to the allnight sessions and bruising floor fights that marked last month's Democratic Convention here.

Only one issue appeared headed for a battle on the convention floor, the question of how delegates will be allotted by states for the party's next convention in 1976.

The convention's Rules Committee considers the question

Unless a compromise can be reached, the issue will be fought out on the convention floor and before the nation's television viewers Tuesday afternoon in the only crack of the solid Republican unity

marking this convention.

Threat of another floor fight, over the women's rights por-tion of the party platform, all but vanished over the weekend. Rep. Margaret Heckler of Massachusetts said no woman on the platform tried to bring up a statement on abortion.

dent, Agnew's probably the only one for vice president.

With no Republican opposition to Nixon to worry about, GOP leaders kept up a steady drumbeat of criticism of Democratic nominee George McGovern. Sen. Robert Dole of Kansas, the party chairman, YOUNG POLITICIAN: His Nixon hat cocked at a rakish angle, Page Evans, 6, revels in the attention he's getting in Miami Beach as the son of Thomas Evans, Jr., co-chairman of the Republican National Com-



V-M Certified statement on abortion. And when it comes time for nomination, Nixon's will be the only name presented for president death. According to the death of the control of the co **Federal Aid**

Congressman Edward Hut-chinson today announced that granted, however, Cong.

the U.S. Commerce Dept. Hutchinson said the firm must would certify V-M Corp. of meet all applicable statuatory

Expansion Act of 1962.
A.E. Gibson, Commerce
Dept. assistant secretary, told Cong. Hutchinson that V-M, manufacturer of record changers, radio-phonograph combinations, tape recorders, players and decks, had sufimported into the U.S. in increased quantity.

The Commerce Dept. action determination of eligibility to the action on Tuesday. apply for adjustment assistance. The Tariff Commission voted unanimously (with one commissioner not participating) that largely as a result of concessions granted under international trade agreements, V-M now would be eligible to apply for aid. The determination of eligibility is a prerequisite for application for

Cong. Hutchinson said the company may now apply for adjustment assistance by submitting an adjustment proposal to the Commerce Dept. There are three types of assistance-technical, financial and tax-under the trade

Benton Harbor eligible to apply requirements of the trade for adjustment assistance expansion act. These include a under provisions of the ade requirement that the firm's adjustment assistance proposal be certified by the Secretary of Commerce (1.) to

Before any such assistance is

be reasonably calculated to the economic adjustment of the firm, (2.) that the proposal give adequate consideration to the interest of the workers of the fered serious injury because firm who have been adversely competitive articles were being affected, (3.) to demonstrate firm who have been adversely that the firm will make all reasonable effort to use its own resources came after V-M applied to the development. The U.S. Com-U.S. Tariff Commission for a merce Dept. will notify V-M of

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Happy 30th, Eloise Fisk, Adv.

29, 30, 31

Protestors Get Ready; Police Too MIAMIBEACH, Fla. (AP) - way through the jeering pro-Police and protesters got ac- testers. After an hour, the

quainted across a line of night-troopers moved slowly forward sticks on the eve of the Re-publican National Convention away from the premises. as demonstrators capped a day of street action with an at-tempted disruption of a GOP

Sunday was, however, they began the two-mile south-clearly a day of preparation for bound trek back to Flamingo

Only a fraction of the assem-Only a fraction of the assembled protestors and a small band of police participated in Sunday's main event Sunday's main event.

Most of the 4,000 demonstrators remained in Flamingo ball gowns.
Park while the 1,000 National This was Guard troops and 2,500 Army ther of the two conventions that paratroopers stood by in their encampments, but were never

An "Honor America" parade and a "dishonor Amerika" rally occupied attention earlier Sunday. So did a marijuana smoke-in, an anti-Nixon rock opera and the bodily ejection from the park of a contingent

from the American Nazi Party. But the day's only real confrontation came at nightfall. when some 350 members of the Students for a Democratic Society marched in front of the plush Fontainebleau Hotel just as party faithful were gathering for a \$500-a-plate gala. President Nixon's wife and daughters --- guests of honor -already were inside.

Chanting "keep the rich out," the demonstrators burned an American flag, lecked arms at the hotel entrances and harangued and jostled dinner guests arriving in tuxedoes and formal gowns.

About 200 helmeted state troopers stood shoulder-toshoulder in front of the hotel as cans "favor consideration of an (See back page, sec. 1, col. 1) early arrivals elbowed their

(See back page, sec. 1, col. 1)

FIRST TUNA BOAT: The Midwest's first tuna boat, the Margaret L. is launched by Peterson Builders, Inc. Saturday at Sturgeon Bay, Wis. The boat, valued at 412 million dollars, will be sent to a San Diego concern. It has a capacity of 2,000 tons of tuna. (AP Wirephoto)

INJURED NAZI LEAVES PARK: An American Nazi party member who sustained severe facial injuries during a fight in Miami Beach's Flamingo Park Sunday is carried from a platform where the fight took place and out of the park by Vietnam

Milliken Mum On

GOP Busing Stand The Republican Party Resolutions Committee has adopted a powerful anti-busing resolution

that drew enthusiastic praise from Michigan U.S. Sen. Robert Griffin and a sidestep from the state's second-ranking Republican, Gov. William Milli-

busing plank, disclosed by the Resolutions Committee Saturday and readied for presentation to the Republican National Convention, "was much more than I'd hoped for. It's good, solid, unequivocal."

The resolution says Republi-

Griffin said Sunday the anti-using plank, disclosed by the constitution" if it is necessary to achieve "better education for all children" and the "neighborhood school concept."

> Griffin has introduced an amendment to the U.S. Con-

GOP Convention Schedule

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) - Schedule for today's sessions of the Republican National Convention:

Opening ceremonies; welcoming I p.m. EDT — Opening ceremonies; welcoming speeches; official call for the convention; election of temporary rules and formal appointment of members of Credentials, Permanent Organization, Rules and Platform committees; report on Senate Campaign Committee plans; filmed tribute to the late President Dwight D. Eisenhower; adjournment 3 p.m.

8:30 p.m. - Opening ceremonies; keynote speeches by Sen. Edward Brooke of Massachusetts, Mayor Richard Lugar of Indianapolis and Anne Armstrong, cochairman of the Republican National Committee; filmed tribute to Mrs. Richard Nixon; adjournment 10:30 p.m.

THE HERALD-PRESS **Editorial Page**

W. J. Banyon, Editor and Publisher

Squabbling Not Unusual In History Of Olympics

This is the week that marks the start of the 1972 Olympic Summer Games—next Saturday in Munich, West Germany. The Games are supposed to engender goodwill among nations. But do they? Some times there is cause to wonder. The only certain good feelings of the last several Games appear to have been those generated between the more fun-loving of the male and female athletes.

The Olympic spirit of selfless mateurism and international amateurism brotherhood has been under siege the past few decades. Baron Pierre de Coubertin, the Frenchman responsible for the revival of Olympic competition in 1896, was fond of saying: "The important thing is not winning but taking part." A high percentage of today's Olympic athletes would subscribe instead to the late Vince Lombardi's dictum that, "Winning isn't everything. It's the only thing." Since an Olympic gold medal confers

instant prestige on both the athlete and his country, the lofty goals of the quadrennial Games tend to receive only lip-service. Far from building amity among nations, the Olympics often start new quarrels.

The problem hardly is new. When the United States won more medals than any other country at the 1928 Olympics in Amsterdam, the president of the U.S. Olympic Committee could barely contain himself. "Nothing is more synonymous of our national success than is our national success in athletics," Douglas MacArthur declared. "This team proved itself a worthy successor of its brilliant predecessors.

Many Americans were shocked when Tommie Smith and John Carlos, who finished one-three in the 200-meter dash at the 1968 Games, raised black-gloved fists on the winners' stand to dramatize their concern about the black man's plight. The Olympics, it was argued, are no forum for political or any other kind of protest.

As with the quest for prestige, however, protest is no stranger to the Olympic Games. "At the 1908 Games in London, Forrest Smithson, of Notre Dame, was so incensed that the 110-meter hurdle race was being held on a religious holiday that he ran with a Bible in his left hand," William Johnson recently recalled in

Despite the thaw in Sino-American

relations, several U.S. firms are finding

the China market difficult to crack

Companies with subsidiaries in Taiwan, South Korea or South Viet Nam have a

particularly hard time. Even some

foreign firms in which Americans have

invested reportedly have been rebuffed by

A reporter in Hong Kong writes that,

"Japanese firms with more than 20 per

Sports Illustrated. "He won and set a world record.''

More trouble arose that same year. On arriving at the Olympic stadium, the U.S. team noticed with anger that the Stars and Stripes was missing from the display of flags of competing nations. Thus, when the American contingent marched in review past King Edward VII's box, the flag-bearer held his banner erect. The American flag has never since been dipped in deference to a foreign head of

Twelve African countries have announced that they will boycott this year's Munich Games to protest Rhodesia's participation—because of that country's apartheid policy. Over the past weekend in Munich, U.S. black track and field athletes, who earlier threatened to join the anti-Rhodesia boycott, refused to take part in a pre-Olympic tuneup meet because Rhodesia was still present. On the other hand, the U.S. boxing

coach, who is black, said his fighters, most of whom are black, didn't come to Munich "for politics, and they're going to box." No one can predict with certainty whether all, or even some, of the black American track stars will refuse to compete when the real Games start Saturday. Nor does anyone know for sure if Rhodesia will still be on the Olympic roster come Saturday. Four years ago South Africa got booted out after similar protests by African nations.

Whatever happens, the United States may have plenty of trouble winning medals in Munich-with or without the black track men. Since 1968, the level of competition in most Olympic events has improved substantially. Esquire magazine, for example, recently declared that "the U.S. will come out of Munich this summer with even less than Neville Chamberlain got."

But the city of Munich already is a winner. It now has badly needed modern sports facilities, a vastly improved transportation system, and new parks and housing—all built over the past several vears in anticipation of the Olympics. For Germany's fastest-growing city, the 1972 Oktoberfest begins in August.

trade assault. Trade and Commerce

Minister Jean-Luc Pepin visited China in

June, 1971 to clear the way for "as broad a

representation of the Canadian business community as possible."

Canada's first all manufacturing trade

mission to China was held last March,

well in advance of the Canton affair. A 12-

man sales mission presented such highly

specialized products as the short takeoff and landing (STOL) Twin Otter aircraft

Canada's major export to China probably

will continue to be wheat. Total sales to

nearly \$191 million of that was for grain.

In order to keep the imbalance of trade

from becoming too great, Canada has

organized buying missions to Peking. A

team organized by the Canadian Im-

porters' Association visited the People's

The dream of a huge China market

continues to intrigue Western traders. At

first, it was hoped that China would

become an unparalleled consumer

market, 750 million strong. It has long

neither the money nor the taste for most

Western consumer items. "It's a mini-

market for imported products," on the

view of one East-West trade expert,

John Burns, Peking based reporter for the Toronto Globe and Mail, writes that no

experienced China hand accepts im-

mediate sales as a fair test of trade fairs.

"Rather, they regard the fairs as an

opportunity to impress the Chinese with

the range and quality of their country's

products in the hope that the Chinese will

turn to them when the time comes to place

For a few specialized industries, China

does represent a large and reliable

market. What the Chinese are believed to want most desperately are telecom-munications equipment, jetliners,

chemicals and fertilizers. Canada is in a

good position to capitalize on some of

these needs. So are American firms

since been realized that the Chinese have

Republic last April.

James A. Ramsey.

substantial orders."

operating in Canada.

\$205 million last year and

EDITOR'S MAILBAG

MERCY COUNCIL

MEAT ANIMALS

BRING \$42,079

-1 Year Ago--

shelled out by area retailers and businessmen for 224 of the

county's finest meat animals

yesterday at the 26th annual

Berrien County Youth Fair's

Prices paid at the auction

livestock auction.

total of \$42,079.50 was

The Staff Council, or all RN's

and LPN's, of Mercy hospital, wish to thank you for the coverage and pictures of the Surgery Dept's open house,

There are many working committees in the council, besides the Bargaining branch, which work with Administration to improve patient care.. Acquainting our members to what their sister nurses do in special units is one of our current projects.

Our Surgery nurses did such a tremendous job, that we were sorry we were not able to open the tour to all hospital personnel.

Betty Barrie, RA Jackie Kemp, LPN. Staff Council Chairmen
Mercy Hospital Staff Council.

Officer

UNDERSTANDS "POETRY BAN"

During the past several weeks, several of your readers have written to this column to express their disappointment concerning the "poetry ban" which became necessary due to a change in editorial policy. After reading the letter which I received about two months ago I can understand the reason for this change in policy. However, common sense tells me that in the course of time you must have received possibly hundred of "unprintable" letters on various subjects, and you exercised your right of discretion in such matters. I fail to see why you cannot simply exercise the same right in regard to thought of your readers when they are expressed in verse.

However, this is not the purpose of my letter. During the ten years that I have been submitting verse for publication in your paper, I have always been treated fairly and given every courtesy and consideration, and I want to express my thanks to you and your staff for the fair treatment you have always given me.

Some time ago, a certain "critic" referred to me as the "Geritol set poet"...and he may be interested to know that he was right. By this I mean that the vast majority of the huge stack of cards and letters that I have received from your readers during the past ten years have been from hospital patients, elderly people, those in convalescent homes, etc. I feel that if I have done anything to make the lives of these people even a little bit brighter, then my efforts at writing have

I have accomplished something worth while.

GLANCING BACKWARDS

market quotations for hogs,

lambs and steers, as numerous

proceeds from the sale of their

animals to the Youth Fair

NEW CITY CHIEF

IN BRIDGMAN

-10 Years Ago-

Newly appointed

donated

youngsters

association

averaged well above prevailing superintendent, Donald G.

Saladin, 37, of Grand Rapids,

will start to work on Monday, it

Although he begin work, he

will officially take charge on

Sept. 4. Saladin was recently

appointed to succeed Chalmer

Ackerman, who is scheduled to

enter Notre Dame university

this fall to study for a law

degree. He has been city manager for the past five

TWO ISLES CAPTURED

American naval expedition has

captured two stepping-stone

islands aimed directly at the

Italian mainland north of Sicily

with the surrender of Lipari

Tyrrhenian sea.

Stromboli in the

Stromboli island lies 50 miles

north of the Sicilian port of

Messina. Lipari is 35 miles

above Messina. The tiny isles

form the main part of the

-39 Years Ago---Atty. Edward Brown, Leo R.

Kallinger and President Ross

Smith of the St. Joseph Kiwanis

club have been elected delegates to the Michigan

ON VACATION

— 49 Years Ago — Mr. and Mrs. Cass Rutkoskie and family have gone to the

Wisconsin Dells and northern

Michigan for a two weeks trin.

On their way home they will visit the Frank Lopkers at Bear

FEATURE FILM

-59 Years Ago -Cooper's "Deerslayer,"

THE WATER'S FINE

-81 Years Ago-

The surf bathing is fine now

and hundreds of bathers can be

seen sporting at the beach

Aeolian group.
ELECT DELEGATES

—29 Years Ago— Allied headquarters an-

was announced today.

Since joining the South-western Michigan Writers Club a few months ago, I have met some very interesting people, and picked up some very worthwhile tips on various kinds of writing. This sort of thing makes an interesting hobby for many people in this

So, again, to you Mr. Editor. and your staff; to those wonderful people who have written to express their appreciation of my writings, especially the "Geritol set"...I say Thank you, all of you, and God bless you...each and all.

Chet Garlanger 820 Court street

Badly Wounded

DETROIT (AP) - A Detroit policeman was in serious condition today after being shot great feature film, will be five times in a gun battle with shown at the Airdrome. two prison escapees.

Officers said the shooting hegan when Patrolmen Charles McKinney. 28, and William Dildy, 30, stopped a car Sunday night because of a loud muffler and faulty tail light.

Four men were in the car. Police said the driver, Russell Mann, 28, jumped out, pulled a pistol from a shoulder holster fired repeatedly at McKinney. McKinney was hit in the back, shoulder and hand.

Dildy shot back, hitting Mann and Chester G. Dickerson, 30. in the legs, knees and feet. Both men were hospitalized but the other two occupants of the car escaped.

Authorities said Mann is an escapee from Ionia State Prison where he was serving six to 10 years on an attempted armed robbery charge. Dickerson was identified by police as an escapee from Southern Michigan Prison.

Dickerson escaped July 14 while serving seven to 15 years for attempted armed robbery. Police said they will charge both Dickerson and Mann with assault with intent to murder.

ARABS ARRESTED

* ROME (AP) - Rome police say they have arrested the two Arabs who gave two British girls the booby-trapped record player that exploded aboard Israeli jetliner carrying not been in vain, and I feel that 149 persons last week.

Ray Cromley

Food May Mean Brezhnev Crisis



the Soviet Union does indeed buy a billion dollars worth of U.S. wheat and other farm products these next 12 months, Leonid Brezhnev could be in for some trouble at home.

Despite sizable American credits and the extraordinary rise in the value of Moscow's gold stocks this past year, these heavy argicultural purchases will force the U.S.S R. to cut heavily into its hoarded gold reserves or slash back sharply on industrial expansion the next few years. The United States, Japan and other Western countries could come to the Soviet Union's rescue with sizable additional credits and investments not thus far announced. But in that event, Brezhnev and his administration would be in heavy debt politically, as well as economically, to the United States and President Nixon.

Cutting sharply into the gold stocks is a highly sensitive issue in the U.S.S.R., which Nikita Krushchev learned to his sorrow in a similar situation a number of years back.

Worse yet, these huge grain purchases result from agricultural failures in a row. The U.S.S.R. winter crop was miserable, The spring crop has been called a disaster.

Agricultural successes and failures are major emotional, political and economic issues in the Soviet Union. Khrushchev gambled with a mammoth long-shot Siberian agricultural development program to save

WASHINGTON (NEA) - If himself from crop failure. But in the end, as suggested above, agricultural difficulties were a primary cause of his ouster

Brezhnev will indoutedly survive, where Khrushchev did not. Brezhnev has successfully downgraded the strongest of his opponents and infiltrated his henchmen into key power

spots. Nevertheless, the price Brezhnev will pay in internal infighting is expected to be great. There will be strong criticism within the Politburo and the Central Committee of the way Brezhnev has handled agriculture and the economy. His remaining enemies in high places will go at him with

vigor. For this agricultural crisis comes on top of other Russian problems. Although the shift in Cairo may actually be to Russia's advantage, in that it gets the U.S.S.R. out of an expensive, exposed, no-win position; Brezhnev's handling of the Egyptian crisis gives added ammunition to his foes. Brezhnev will also most

certainly draw fire within the party for his bungled handling of North Vietnam this past year, for growing problems in East Europe and for his inability to bring the open fight with China under some control.

Brezhnev must pull a rather large rabbit out of his hat. Again, it seems likely that his best bet is some sort of an economic deal with the United

Marianne Means

Election Day A Holiday?



was approved by the Senate ten days ago. It was passed as an amendment to a bill to authorize a new \$6.7 million budget for the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, and therefore virtually escaped public notice.

The bicentennial bill is currently being held up in the House while Democrats investigate charges that the White House has been playing political hanky-panky with the celebration plans. But it is expected to be passed by mid-September, and the election day holiday amendment sustained by the conference committee-in ample time to take effect this year.

At first blush, it seems as though such a move would help

MIAMI BEACH .- The march toward re-election which President Richard Nixon begins officially here this week may end with an election day that features a new wrinkle not present when he narrowly squeaked into office four years

district convention of the Kiwanis at Bay City. Alter-It may be a national public nates are George S. Campbell and Charles L. Miller. A measure to accomplish this

Democrats Republicans, Of 116,535,000 citizens of voting age in 1968, only 67.8 per cent went to the

But 80 per cent of those earning \$10,000 yearly or more voted, while the percentage of those earning less money voted Traditionally, lower-income voters are heavily Democratic.

Sen. Hubert Humphrey, who introduced the measure, ex-"The worker on the assembly line sees the morning line and the evening line at the polling place going around the block. In the morning he must get to work and in the evening he is anxious to get home to his family . . . Many workers give up their franchise (to vote) in

despair." Yet this does not necessarily mean that Democrats will benefit more than Republicans from improved access to the polls. In fact, the holiday bill passed the Senate with heavy bipartisan support; it was mostly Southern traditionalists, who are Democratic, who opposed it.

Farmers and executives who might vote Republican have just as much trouble wedging in a free hour to get to the polls during their working day as do factory laborers. Housewives with young children to care for whose husbands are at work cannot leave the house to vote.

In addition, a holiday ought to be an asset to both parties by increasing the number of partisans free to volunteer for election day chores, such as getting out other voters and poll-watching. This year that may even help Nixon more than George McGovern, since McGovern is relying heavily on student volunteers who are free to cut classes and Nixon is leaning more on adults, many of whom may have difficulty leaving their jobs.

Cynics contend that making election day a holiday will only give everybody another day to go fishing and not substantially increase voter participation. But if it encourages only one per cent to vote that might otherwise have failed to bother, it will be well worth the

exercise.

And it could be vastly significant. Remember, Nixon won by only a half per cent in 1968.

BERRY'S WORLD



"Just think, if we're elected, I'll be 'Mr. Vice-President' instead of 'that guy who married one of the Kennedy sisters'!"

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cent of their capital in American hands produced by De Havilland of Canada. The are banned from trade with China." In Canadians reportedly hope to sell Britain and the Netherlands, "only wholly owned U.S. subsidiaries are forbidden to equipment for processing steel, pharmaceuticals for animal use, and sophisticated geophysical instruments. For some time to come, however,

Cracking The China Market

engage in commerce with Chinese trade corporations." By contrast, Canada has, managed to escape all restrictions on the proportion of U.S. capital in companies

trading with China.

a considerable number of American interests will be represented when Canada mounts the biggest onecountry trade show ever permitted in China. External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp opens the 13-day trade fair today in Peking's northern suburbs. On display, among other things, will be tractors,

trucks, mining machinery and electronic equipment, the products, in many cases, of American firms operating in Canada, Only a handful of Americans received invitations to the semi-annual Canton

been pressing ahead vigorously in their THE HERALD-PRESS

trade fair last April. The Canadians have

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OUR BIRTHDAY: Donald, 6, and Monica, 1, children of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sales, of 1688 Kay drive, Benton Helghts, were celebrating because two is better than one. Both children were born on Aug. 16 which means two birthday parties on the same day. (Staff photo)



BEST IN FRUITS: Darlene Skibbe, 11, of Eau Claire, won the grand championship in fruit displays at the Fair with her exhibit of Transparent apples. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Skibbe, 5560 Tabor road, Eau Claire. Darlene entered 13 exhibits in the fruit division, all winning blue ribbons. (Jean Bishop

State Trooper's Son

Is Shot Accidentally

SOUTH HAVEN - The son of a state police trooper assigned

to the South Haven post was accidentally shot with his father's

Daniel Diekema, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Diekema,

Police said the boy was shot by his nine-year-old brother,

Steve, as they played in their parents' bedroom. The older boy

said he took the revolver from a dresser drawer and that it fired when he pointed it at his brother.

The .38 caliber bullet entered the thigh and exited through a

Police said the parents were not at home when the mishap

occurred at 7:50 p.m., and that the boys were being watched by

U.S. Funds To Help

Build SJ River Park

WASHINGTON - Congressman Edward Hutchinson

today announced that the U.S. Department of the Interior

would award a \$49,200 grant to the Village of Berrien

Springs for development of a park on the east bank of the

State funds of \$43,6500 and \$5,550 from local sources will

provide \$98,400 for a boat launch facility, campground,

pienic area and equipment, a public fishing site and roads.

The money also will be used for lighting, landscaping,

Congressman Hutchinson said the grant would come from the Interior Department's Land and Water Con-

servation Fund which helps state and local governments

purchase needed lands and develop outdoor recreation

The park will be located on the east bank of the St.

restroom sewers, a fish cleaning stand and parking.

450 Bailey avenue, was listed in serious condition today in the

service revolver last night, according to city police.

intensive care unit of Bronson hospital in Kalamazoo.

Youth Fair **Gate Sets** New Record

Staff Writer

BERRIEN SPRINGS Over 100,000 persons visited the Berrien County Youth Fair this past week establishing a new attendance record for the fiveday event.

Saturday's crowd of 21,808 pushed the total figure for the at the Fair for their help in 27th annual Youth Fair to making the 1972 Fair "the best 100,870, breaking the record set last year by 2,273 persons.

"We're very elated and pleased that the people of Berrien county responded in such a great way to the efforts

everyone involved with the Robert Norris of Berrien Center, president of the Youth Fair association, said.

President Norris also extended personal thanks to the thousands of volunteer workers

"It would be impossible to thank the many volunteer they've spent in putting the whole show together," he said. "But it just goes to show what can be done when everyone works together as a team."

That team will be going to work again soon on next year's Fair. In competition at the Youth Fair Saturday the following individuals placed first in the seven different classes of the tractor pulling contest: Mel Enders, Eau Buchanan; Don Schmaltz, Baroda; Charles Paarlberg, Berrien Springs; Dean Lozmack, Galien; Gary Zandarski, Berrien Springs and Dennis

Krieger, Harbert. In the garden tractor pulling contest Don Ewans of Berrien Springs placed first in the heavyweight class and Larry Camp of Niles in the light-

weight division. Al Merrill of Dowagiac placed first in the pony pulling contest's heavyweight division, with George McKibbin of Cassopolis and Don Williams of Jones finishing second and third, respectively.

Capturing first in the lightweight class was Art Merrill of Dowagiac, followed by Frank Goens of Cassopolis and Homer Schwartz of Marcellus

Youth exhibitor demonstrations winners were also announced Saturday. They were Sherree Schultz and Mary Nye, both of St. Joseph in agricultural demonstrations; Nancy Zielke of Bridgman in demonstartions: and Susan Bennett of Berrien Springs in home economics

The following clubs won blue ribbons for keeping the cleanest barns throughout Fair week. They were: South Lakers in beef; Galien Chanters in swine; Tryon Skirts and Jeans in dairy; Tryon Saddle in large

Catholics Will Open Schools On Aug. 31

Half-Day Sessions Will Be Held For First Week

of half-day sessions beginning Thursday, Aug. 31.

New High School Principal Donald Stock and Thomas Hornick, new middle school principal, jointly announced the school opening dates for the estimated 900 students presently registered for grades through 12. Student registrations are still un-derway at the respective

principal's offices They also reported the local Catholic school system has nurchased five school buses, hree of them new. The buses will be used in the shuttle service between the system's schools in the Twin Cities, and in certain outlying areas to complement the bus services from the Benton Harbor and St. Joseph public school systems. The schedule for the half-day

Thurs., Aug. 31 — High chool freshmen and sophomores only, 8:45 to 11:30

Fri., Sept. 1 - High school juniors and seniors only, 8:45 to 11:30 a.m.

Thurs., Aug. 31 — Middle school grades 4,5 and 6 only, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. Fri., Sept. 1 — Middle school

grades 7 and 8 only, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Fri., Sept. 1 grades 1, 2 and 3 at St. Bernard's, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Full day sessions will begin for all LMC students on Tuesday, Sept. 5, except Grades 1, 2 and 3 which will have half-day sessions on Sept. 5 and 6. No classes are cheduled for Monday, Sept. 4,

Labor Day. Bus transportation will not be available for the half-day opening sessions on Aug. 31 and Sept. 1, but bus service will start Sept. 5, along with cafeteria service.

Free and reduced price lunch workers at the Fair for the time programs are available for some students this year, based on family size and income. The annual income of \$2,450 up to \$9,700 for a family of 12.

According to Hornick, the middle school's primary classes I, 2 and 3 will be conducted again this year at St. Bernard's in Fairplain under Sister Ann Free Sister Ann has announced that the primary school will continue its non-Ron Baldwin, graded system during the new school year.

The entire LMC faculty is scheduled to attend the a statewide conference of non-Grand Rapids Aug. 28-30. The bus runs into the outlying

TOPS IN VEGETABLES: Dasse, 16, of Baroda, holds his jumbo display of assorted vegetables that was named the grand champion display in vegetables at the 1972 Berrien County Youth Fair, David, the son of Mr. and Duane Dasse, Route 1, Baroda, will be a sophomore at Lakeshore high school. (Staff

horses; Hi-Hopes in small horses; and Tryon Skirts and Jeans in sheep.

The Lake Michigan Catholic areas will include one to the be provided in the west Fairschool system will open the Stevensville-Lakeshore area, plain section for first, second another to the Riverside-Lake and third grade pupils at St. Michigan Beach area, and a Bernard's. An afternoon-only third to the Scottdale area.

Additionally, bus service will St. Joseph city.



DONALD STOCK



THOMAS HORNICK

BH School Polls Open Till 8

Benton Harbor school district residents have until 8 o'clock tonight to ballot on 3.5 mills in additional operating

Twenty-seven precincts are open throughout the district. All registered voters are eligible to ballot.

The 3.5 mills would be levied for three years and raise \$600,000 for this year's operations. Without the 3.5 mills, the budget will have to be cut by \$600,000, the board of

An early morning spot check of precincts showed moderate to light voting. Fairplain West reported 45 ballots cast by 9 a.m. - the most of any precinct checked. Sterne Brunson in the city had 25, senior high 16 and North Shore school 11.

Today's voting is on paper ballots.

Berrien Vote Asked On Juvenile Center

missioners will be asked today to put on the November ballot a \$1.5 million bond issue for construction of a juvenile rehabilitation and detention

Announcement of the request was made this morning by County Commissioners Otto

Grau and Nancy Clark.
Grau said the bond issue would be amortized in 10 years by a special property tax that would range from .199 of a mill to .150 of a mill annually. The

Atty. Taylor **Elected**

Treasurer

Berrien county Prosecuting Atty. Ronald J. Taylor was elected treasurer of the Prosecuting Attorneys Association of Michigan at the association's 45th annual convention at Mackinac Island.

Taylor was elected to serve a ne-year term beginning immediately.

The association boasts nearly 400 members, which include Michigan's 83 elected county prosecuting attorneys and members o

com- average levy would be .185 of a mill or \$1.85 a year on a home with state equalized valuation of \$10,000.

> administration committee, said the county has to "go to the voters" in November because there is no guarantee of federal funds for the project.
>
> If federal funds become

Grau, chairman of the county

available, the tax millage would be reduced accordingly, Grau said.

The November election is the last time to ask voter approval without calling a special election which would cost the county about \$25,000, Grau explained.

If the facility is approved, Cass and Van Buren county would be charged for its use on a per diem basis, Grau said. The center orginally was proposed as a tri-county venture, but Van Buren pulled out in 1970 and Cass has taken no action on contributing its share of the funds.

The proposed 41-bed juvenile center culminates three years of study financed by a \$100,000 planning grant from the Region Four Law Enforcement Planning commission created in 1968 by the federal Omnibus crime control

Grau said the center would have a detention section with 14 beds beds plus a 27-bed rehabilitation section. "This is not just a Bastille. It is a new concept in corrections giving juveniles a home with a staff to talk to them along with medical

and psychiatric treatment.' Many youths lack discipline and need love and the end result of the center would be to place them in group homes or Grau

Center to use to house the center. The center is just one of several programs being planned to cope with juvenile problems in Berrien county, Grau noted. County officials

are optimistic about obtaining state funds to start a halfway house, a crisis center and an attention center for juvenile offenders and runaways

15-acre site adjoining Berrien

General hospital near Berrien

Watervliet Youth Pulled From Lake

A Berrien Marine Patrol deputy, hearing cries for help, pulled a 16-year-old Watervliet youth from Paw Paw lake yesterday afternoon when the boat the boy was operating capsized, deputies reported.

Sgt. Bud Lange said he heard the cries at 3:15 p.m., and saw a boat had capsized about 100 yards from the east shore south of Schulle's Marina. Scott Anderson, of 1017 Windemere road, Watervliet, was pulled to safety, and then the boat towed to its owner, Lange reported.

The boat is owned by Barney Hollis, of 1000 Windemere road, who had given the Anderson youth permission to

operate the boat, according to the officer Lange said the boy could give no explanation of why the

boat capsized.

Correct Words Count Double

Correct words submitted in first prize, a portable color this week's Phonegrams television set as second prize, contest will be worth double points towards the contest's third prize. grand prize of an expenses paid

In the contest, weekly winners not only receive or share \$50 in cash, but become eligible towards the grand prizes, which include the trip as

Three Trips

The Twin City YMCA is arranging three trips for boys and girls, ages 9 to 13. correct words submitted, were and girls, ages 9 to 13.
Youngsters will go to Deer

Deer Forest Tuesday; tour the Berrien county courthouse and county jail Thursday and take a fishing trip to Silver Beach Tuesday, Aug. 29.

Transportation for each trip is 25 cents. Reservations can be youth director.

and a component stereo set as

The contest appears daily in trip to Miami Beach and the Bahamas, Chuck Bowie, circimpete to form words based culation manager of this on contest code words and their newspaper, announced today. own telephone numbers.

Each week the person submitting the highest number of by Webster's International Unabridged Dictionary, Third Edition, becomes the weekly winner and their words count as points towards the grand

Winners in last week's Mrs. Lucy Bridgham, of 424 Ridgway street, St. Joseph, and Mrs. Toni Hardin, of 684 Clemens street, also St. Joseph, They will split the \$50 cash

weekly prize. Mrs. Bridgham was also a winner in the second week of made with Terry Bambrick, the contest, and now has 12 points toward the grand prizes.



MRS, LUCY BRIDGHAM 7th Week Co-Winner



MRS. TONI HARDIN 7th Week Co-Winner

Two Men Sought In Niles Robbery

NILES — Two men are being sought by city police in connection with last night's armed robbery of the Open Pantry, 421 Grant street

Police said the clerk, Tom Slone of Mishawaka, told-them the men walked into the store about 10 p.m., and one of them pointed a pistol at him demanding money from the cash

register. They then fled on foot with about \$150.
One of the robbers was described as about six feet tall, with red hair, and wearing wire-rimmed glasses and a red shirt. The other one, also about six feet, had long dark brown hair, and wearing brown pants and a light colored shirt. Both men

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Brant Struggling For CanAmer Equality

Staff Sports Writer When CanAmer officials begin talking about the Olympian Games which were held in Berrien County this past weekend, most of the attention is focused on the friendship aspect which comes out of the

Granted, the annual Games between Berrien and Brant County, Ontario, Canada are a stepping stone for a growing kinship for all persons involved in the Olympics

themselves. The struggle for into a fierce rivalry. And, so the two counties, the actual far, Berrien County has difference in winning and emerged the victor.

In the three previous years themselves the two counties have met, "I think y Berrien has been the easy disadvantage in these Games,

the Olympics.

Brant has never won more than as we and they can take the two events in any one year of cream of the crop against us."

scoring system is used to help winning and losing can turn balance the difference between losing lies in the athletes

"I think we are at a distinct winner. And it was the same this year. said William Boyce, Brant County CanAmer director, Of the eight sporting areas in the Games, Berrien athletes day's competition. "Berrien won championships in six. has nearly twice the population

Although a complicated population of about 160,000, Brant lists a populace of about 90,000. But even more lopside is the number of athletes from which each county has to draw.

Nearly 5,000 athletes competed in the Berrien Olympian Games, with all of the winners advancing to the CanAmer

In Brant, the athletes are picked via a tryout basis, with this year's 325-man team coming out of 500 who attempted to make it.

'We have a fair turnout for

our tryouts," said Boyce. The Canadian team itself is "They are countywide and selected in early June, then is anyone is eligible. Most of our trained for two months prior to athletes do come from Brant- the Games, ford, but there are some from the smaller towns around."

largest city, with a popula- said Boyce. "I know our tion of about 65,000.

The Brant CanAmer committee carries on a year-round things theirs are too.' publicity campaign to maintain community interest in the Games. Their biggest money county, two of the county's raiser is a walk-a-thong which most had nearly 1,300 participants

"I think both counties have ne smaller towns around." increased in both the quality Brantford is the county's and strength of their athletes," athletes are better overall every year. And by the looks of

Although all the CanAmer sports are played in Brant popular sports-ice hockey and lacrosse-have yet to be included in the Games.

meeting to review changes for the games. But right now it doesn't look like there will be any new changes," said Boyce.

Softball was the only new sport added this year-replacing kickball—and the Canadians made it one of their two championships.

The second came in probably the most prestigious of all the events-track and field.

When the track trophy was presented in the closing ceremonies Sunday, the applause resounded as if the

from the Berrien athletes.
Sometimes it is hard to really distinguish what is the most important reward of the CanAmer Games.

The disappointment of losing was apparent among the Canadians as the final tallies

began coming in late Saturday.

But that seemed almost secondary when the athletes from both countries expressed handshakes and hugs of farewell before boarding the

Berrien Athletes Turn In **Outstanding Performances**

By JERRY DYKSTRA

Staff Sports Writer Triple swimming victories by Danaher and Pam

Three track blue ribbons by Joe Brown and Dave Furst. Medalist golf honors by Rick Eitman, at 14 one of the youngest golfers in the com-

many impressive per-formances turned in by Berrien county athletes Saturday in carving their way to the overall

Olympian Games.

CONGRATULATIONS, AGAIN: William Boyce (left), Brant County CanAmer

chairman, offers congratulations to Berrien County Chairman Larry Nielsen after presenting Berrien the CanAmer championship trophy. It was the fourth year in a row

Berrien has won the CanAmer title. (Staff photo

These were just some of the the six of the eight sports 100-0 and basketball 200-100.

team championship in the Based on the CanAmer point fourth annual CanAmer system. Americans captured Based on the CanAmer point the wrestling team cham-Berrien Olympians easily pionship 265-34, the tennis title chalked up their fourth straight 157-42, swimming 466-333, pistol title by winning first places in and rifle shooting 160-140, golf

Brant county took the track and field title 686-613 and softball honors 200-100.

Perhaps the standing effort in the Games was turned in by Canadian Maida Murray. She took four first places in the swimming competition in the 15-19 age

But Americans Danaher and Yackey also turned in noteworthy swimming accomplishments.

Danaher, who will be a ninthgrader this fall at Upton junior high, was a triple winner for the third straight year. Competing in the 13-14 age group, he captured firsts in the individual freestyle

Yackey, who was a double last summer, registered firsts in the individual medley, freestyle and backstroke in the 11-12 di-

Double swimming winners for Berrien were Andrea Cross, David Worthington, Mike Borre, Martha Bronfenbrenner and Wally Hadsell. Berrien, which has never lost

a basketball game in the four

years, swept to easy wins in all four contests held in St. Joseph's gym. The midgets won 69-37, the intermediates 87-52, the juniors 116-45 and the seniors 113-91. Greg Fraizer, a 5-11 center

from Buchanan, sparked the midgets with 24 points while Kirby Lee from Benton Harbor had 13. Mike Howard of Benton Harbor with 21 and Mike McGuirt of Buchanan with 17 paced the intermediates. The Benton Harbor duo of

Gary Phillips and Dave Adkins scored 19 and 17 points, respectively, to lead the juniors. St. Joseph's Tom Scheffler poured in 25 points for the seniors. Ex-Bear star Packy Ryan netted 21. John Hunt and Don Childs, both from Benton Harbor, swished 19 and respectively. Niles Drake also had 16.

The biggest margin in any sport came in wrestling where Berrien won by 231 points. Americans won 31 of the 35 matches.

The Americans captured the golf team title for the first time. Eitman of Niles paved the way with a blistering 78 over the Orchard Hills country club course. The 14-year-old gained medalist honors in play against golfers up to age 19.

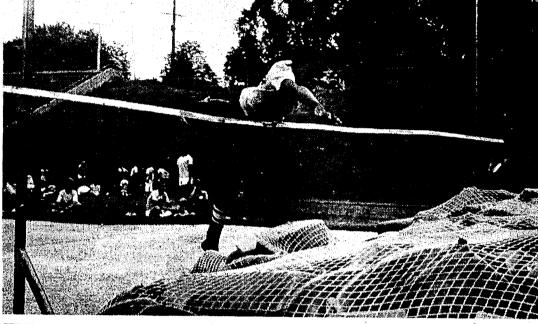
Other low Berrien golfers were Karl Smith with an 80 and David Hedstrom with an 81. Gail Faneuf led the Berrien

The American pistol and rifle team took three of the five events to nose out Brant for the team championship. Berrien individual winners were Sam Rosenberg in civilian pistol. Dale Adams in police pistol, Al Rosinski in adult rifle and Neil Hays in junior rifle.

The Berrien tennis team defeated the Brant team by taking 15 of the 19 matches, including a sweep of the junior

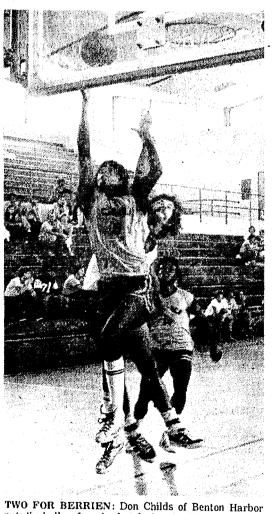
Double winners for Berrien were Randy and Tim Mace, Jean Summers, Joan Kotas, Bernadine Salvadore and Dee coach for the American squad. sprints.

Even two triple track winners couldn't keep Berrien out by Americans Ken



STRAINING FOR THE BAR: Eric Hartfield of Benton Harbor gives it all he has in the 10-11-year-old boys high jump competition at the CanAmer track and field competition held at Filstrup Field. But even with the

determination showing on his face, Eric still couldn't make it over the bar and failed to place in the event.



puts the ball up for a basket during the CanAmer senior divison basketball game at the St. Joseph high school gym. Childs finished the game with 16 points as Berrien County defeated Brant 113-91. Benton Harbor's John Hunt is looking on the action. (Staff photo)

from going down to its first Singleton, Jill Pridavka and team track defeat in the history Tom Ellsperman. of the Games.

Dave Furst, who will be a junior this fall at Brandywine, took firsts in the 880 run, high jump and tied for the top spot in the three mile.

winner in the junior division was Joe Brown of Benton Harbor. The speedster piled up Stevenson, who served as ribbons in the 100, 220 and 440

Deuce track wins were pulled

Brant accumulated most of

its track points in all the girl's divisions and the open men's division.

Ladies softball debuted as a CanAmer sport Saturday and Joining Furst as three-time the Berrien softballers quickly learned their Canadian counterparts had something on the ball

The Brant athletes won the midget contest 16-6, the junior game 10-0 and the senior tilt 17-



ONE OF TWO TITLES: Jill Pridvaka of Niles crosses the finish line well ahead of the rest of the field to win the girls 14-15 880-yard run at the CanAmer track and field meet. Jill also took first in the mile to finish a double winner in the meet. (Staff photo)

CanAmer Shooting

CIVILIAN PISTOL

ADULTRIFLE
Brant (1876) — Ron Gashgarian 359, ichard Waddington 334.
Berrian (1890) — Al Rosinski 355, Daryl CIVILIAN ITIA III.

Berrien (2531) — Sam Rosenberg 542,
Don Wilson 533, Jack Smallwood 498, Al
Rosinski 491, Richard Davis 467.
Branl (203) — Jerry Bollard 541, Ron
Speechley 496, Jim Speechley 480, Rens
Decker 458, Bill McLauphlin 428.

POLICE PISTOL

JUNIOR RIFLE
Berrien (1277)—Neil Hays 341, John
Flannery 338.
Brant (1946) — Joe Balog 319, Diane
Wisson 269. Berrien (1452) — Dale Adams 523, Joe Sieber 513, Jack Smallwood 486, Richard Oavis 472, Tom Exum 459. Brani (1281) — Jim Hall 514, Rens Decker 511, Ron Speechtey 455, Jerry Boilard 454, Bill McLauphlin 447.

AIR RIFLE
Brant (1207) — Ron Gasharian 266,
Mike Sai diord 253,
Berrien (966) — Jean Rosinski 288,
Sandy Rosinski 232,

Borre, also a two-time winner. (Staff photo)

SWIM STANDOUTS: These six Berrien county swimmers were double or triple win-

ners Saturday at St. Joseph's pool. In front are David Worthington and Andrea Cross,

both twin winner. In back are Martha Bronfenbrenner and Wally Hadsell, both double

winners, and Pam Yackey and Fred Dananer, both triple winners. Not pictured is Mike